

ABBEVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 14, 2003

PRESENT: Chairman Gunnells, V. C. Brown, Councilmen Forrester, Norris, Calhoun, Walker, Director Burns, Attorney Pruitt, Clerk to Council Carol Chrisley

ABSENT: Councilman Thomas

Chairman Gunnells called the Public Hearing to order as follows:

a. Adopt an Ordinance to amend the budget ordinance to increase the budget revenues for the Library fines, fee, etc. Since there were no comments, the public hearing came to a close.

I. Chairman Gunnells called the meeting to order with prayer given by V. C. Brown.

11. First item on the agenda was approval of March 24, 2003 County Council meeting minutes. V. C. Brown made a motion to approve minutes that were seconded by Councilman Calhoun and passed unanimously.

III. Presentations:

A. Jim Irwin- County Wide Water System and other issues that Council received as information.

B. Charles Magaha to discuss County -Wide Water. Council also received it as information.

IV. Committee Presentations:

A. The Public Works committee met and have begun the process to review the County Road Ordinance.

V. Old Business:

A. Consideration of 3rd Reading of an ordinance to amend the budget ordinance to increase the budget revenues for the Library fines, fees, etc. V. C. Brown made a motion to have 3rd Reading that was seconded by Councilman Walker and passed unanimously.

B. Consideration of 2nd Reading of an Ordinance to amend Ordinance #00-5 by adding Oaklawn Drive, Higgins Road and Honeycut Road into the County Road System. Councilman Calhoun made a motion to have 2nd Reading. Motion was seconded by Councilman Norris and passed unanimously.

C. Consideration of 2nd Reading of an ordinance to amend the Zoning Ordinance Number of Abbeville County in order to add Section 509, Temporary Accessory

Residential Use. Councilman Norris made a motion to have 2nd Reading that was seconded by V. C. Brown. The ordinance was amended by the Planning Commission to apply only in zones that allow. Motion passed. Unanimously.

V11. New Business:

A. Consideration of a request from the Treasurer to transfer \$50,000 from the LOST Account to the General Fund. Councilman Norris made a motion to approve the transfer that was seconded by Councilman Forrester and passed unanimously.

B. Consideration of a request from EMS Commission for Council to enter into a contract with BB&T for upgrading the EMS Mobile Computer System.

C. Council approval of Proclamation of 4/13/03 through 4/19/03 as Public Safety Telecommunications Week. Councilman Brown made a motion to approve the Proclamation that was seconded by Councilman Walker and passed unanimously.

D. Development Board to request \$25,000 grant be awarded for building site improvements to Project Wadley. This item was withdrawn until next month.

E. Award of Auditing Contract to Cline Brandt Kochenower & Co., P.A. Councilman Norris made a motion to table this item until the next meeting since there were lots of questions before the end of the year. Motion was seconded by Councilman Walker and passed unanimously.

V111. Director's Report

A. Director Burns introduced the new County Planner, Patricia Gordon and Steven Creswell the Grounds Supervisor.

1X. Executive Session:

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